

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Application of:

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METHOD AND SYSTEM FOR  
RECONSTRUCTING AN IMAGE  
FROM PROJECTION DATA  
ACQUIRED BY A CONE BEAM  
COMPUTED TOMOGRAPHY  
SYSTEM

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Sir:

**PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT**

Please preliminarily amend the above-identified application as set forth below:

**Amendments to the Specification** begin on page 2 of this paper.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims, which begins on page 3 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 6 of this paper.